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FULFILLMENT OF STEEL PRODUCTION NORMS BY SOVIET PLANTS

AKTYUBINSK PLANT TOPS QUOTA -- Alma-Ata, Kazakhstanskaya Pravda, 2 Jun 53

The Aktyubinsk Ferroalloy Plant fulfilled its January - May 1953 steel production norm 3 days ahead of schedule. The plant output has increased by 20 percent over the same period in 1952.

Alma-Ata, Kazakhstanskaya Pravda, 29 Apr 53

The production record of smelting shop No 2 of the Aktyubinsk Ferroalloy Plant has surpassed the records of the plant's other shops in the pre-May Day competition. Quantity production is being continued in the electric furnaces of smelting shop No 1. Smelting shop No 3 has exceeded its January - April 1953 quota.

TRANSCAUCASIAN PLANT LAGS -- Tbilisi, Zarya Vostoka, 14 May 53

The Transcaucasian Metallurgical Plant imeni Stalin is lagging in its 1953 production. As a result of poor maintenance and improper operation, the open-hearth furnaces need frequent repair. The pipe-rolling mill has never fulfilled its norm since the day it was put into operation. The blooming mill produces an excessive amount of inferior and defective products.

Tbilisi, Zarya Vostoka, 29 May 53

The open-hearth shop of the Transcaucasian Metallurgical Plant imeni Stalin has not fulfilled its April and May 1953 steel production norms. This failure is attributable directly to poor planning and improper organization.

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NOVO-TAGIL'SK PLANT MEETS NORMS -- Moscow, Trud, 7 May 53

The Novo-Tagil'sk Metallurgical Plant imeni Kuybyshev has been exceeding its daily steel production norm by hundreds of tons during May.

Petrozavodsk, Leninskoye Znamya, 6 Jun 53

The shingling shop of the Novo-Tagil'sk Metallurgical Plant imeni Kuybyshev fulfilled its January - May 1953 quota 3 days ahead of schedule.

Vil'nyus, Sovetskaya Litva, 1 Jul 53

The Novo-Tagil'sk Metallurgical Plant imeni Kuybyshev has exceeded its January - June 1953 steel production quota. The plant's coke and refractory shops also exceeded their quotas for this period.

KOSAYA GORA PLANT INCREASES PRODUCTION -- Moscow, Pravda, 26 Apr 53

The Kosaya Gora Metallurgical Plant imeni Dzerzhinskiy fulfilled its January - April 1953 steel production quota 6 days ahead of schedule. This constitutes a 5.9-percent production increase over the same period in 1952.

Petrozavodsk, Leninskoye Znamya, 26 Jun 53

The Kosaya Gora Metallurgical Plant imeni Dzerzhinskiy fulfilled its quota for the first half of 1953 on 23 June 1953. The plant produces twice as much metal as it did in 1940.

ELEKTROSTAL' PLANT TOPS QUOTAS -- Leningradskaya Pravda, 25 Apr 53

The Moscow Elektrostal' Plant has fulfilled its January - April 1953 steel production quota 6 days ahead of schedule. Over 3,000 rapid smelts were made during this period.

Vil'nyus, Sovetskaya Litva, 26 May 53

The Moscow Elektrostal' Plant has exceeded its January - May 1953 steel production quota.

ZAPOROZH'YE PLANT PLANS INCREASE -- Moscow, Pravda, 8 Jul 53

The Fifth Five-Year Plan calls for the Zaporozh'ye Metallurgical Plant imeni Ordzhonikidze to increase its pig iron output by two times and its steel and rolled stock output by $1\frac{1}{2}$ times.

PIPE SHOP INCREASES PRODUCTION -- Moscow, Trud, 20 Mar 53

The pipe-rolling shop of the Dnepropetrovsk Metallurgical Plant imeni Karl Libknekht has increased its productivity to 20 tons per heating hour over its previous high of 10 tons. The shop expects to increase even its present high level of production.

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SERP I MOLOT PLANT TOPS NORM QUOTA -- Moscow, Vechernyaya Moskva, 4 Jun 53

The Moscow Serp 1 Molot Plant exceeded its May 1953 quota.

KRASNY OKTYABR PLANT EXCEEDS QUOTA -- Moscow, Izvestiya, 6 Jun 53

The Stalingrad Krasny Oktyabr Metallurgical Plant surpassed its May 1953 quota by hundreds of tons of steel and rolled stock.

ZAPOROZH'YE PLANT FULFILLS QUOTA -- Kiev, Pravda Ukrainy, 1 May 53

The Zaporozh'ye Ferroalloy Plant fulfilled its January - April 1953 quota 3 days ahead of schedule. The productive capacity of the plant has been increased by 31 percent over the same period in 1952.

ALCHEVK PLANT EXCEEDS QUOTA -- Kiev, Pravda Ukrainy, 1 May 53

The Alchevsk Metallurgical Plant imeni Voroshilov exceeded its January - April 1953 quota.

FURNACE SHOP TOPS QUOTA -- Kishinev, Sovetskaya Moldaviya, 29 Apr 53

The open-hearth furnace shop of the Petrovsk-Zabaykal Metallurgical Plant has exceeded its January - April 1953 quota.

PIPE PRODUCTION INCREASED -- Yerevan, Kommunist, 16 Dec 52

The 1952 pipe production at the Chelyabinsk Pipe-Rolling Plant is 9.4 percent greater than the 1951 record.

VERKH-ISSETSK PLANT IMPROVES OPERATIONS -- Petrozavodsk, Leninskoye Znamya, 10 May 53

Two thirds of all smelts at the Verkh-Issetsk Metallurgical Plant in May 1953 have been rapid smelts. The plant is daily exceeding its production norm.

EFFICIENT FURNACE UPKEEP AT TAGANROG PLANT -- Moscow, Moskovskaya Pravda, 9 Jun 53

The Taganrog Metallurgical Plant imeni Andreyev has been consistently exceeding its steel production norms. This success is due primarily to high-speed methods of relining open-hearth furnaces. One furnace was relined in 99½ hours instead of the scheduled 144 hours. Chrome magnesite brick is used in the furnace crowns.

UZBEK PLANT SCORES SUCCESSES -- Alma-Ata, Kazakhstanskaya Pravda, 29 Apr 53

The Uzbek Metallurgical Plant has exceeded its January - April 1953 quota. It has increased its open-hearth furnace output by 10 percent over January - April 1952. Seventy-eight percent of all heats were made by new, high-speed methods.

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KIROV PLANT TOPS QUOTA -- Leningradskaya Pravda, 5 Jul 53

The Kirov Metallurgical Plant exceeded its quota for the first half of 1953. Sixty-nine percent of all smelts were rapid smelts.

STALINSK COMBINE EXCEEDS QUOTA -- Petrozavodsk, Leninskoye Znamya, 1 Jul 53

The Stalinsk Metallurgical Combine imeni Stalin has topped its first half 1953 steel production quota.

PRODUCTION RISE IN STALINO PLANT -- Kiev, Pravda Ukrainy, 22 Apr 53

The Stalino Metallurgical Plant imeni Stalin has increased its pig iron production by 20.8 percent, its steel production by 35.1 percent, and its rolled stock production by 19.3 percent since 1951.

MAGNITOGORSK COMBINE EXCEEDS QUOTAS -- Vil'nyus, Sovetskaya Litva, 1 May 53

The Magnitogorsk Metallurgical Combine imeni Stalin exceeded its April 1953 quota.

Moscow, Pravda, 30 May 53

An open-hearth furnace at the Magnitogorsk Metallurgical Combine imeni Stalin has exceeded its January - May 1953 quota. During this time it produced 38 rapid smelts.

Vil'nyus, Sovetskaya Litva, 30 Jun 53

The Magnitogorsk Metallurgical Combine imeni Stalin fulfilled its quota for the first half of 1953 on 28 June 1953.

INCREASED RAIL PRODUCTION -- Leningradskaya Pravda, 29 May 53

The rail shop of the Kuznetsk Plant imeni Stalin has surpassed its May 1953 quota by several hundred tons.

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